

RUSS HAMMERING TEUTONIC LINES

Huge Force Now Engaged Over a Front of 300 Miles.

AMBITIOUS STRATEGIC MOVE

It May Have Important Bearing on Roumania's Attitude, Which Continues to Grow in Importance—Greece Occupied in Making Diplomatic Protests—Irish Members Line Up Against Compulsion Bill.

London, Jan. 3.—A mighty Russian army is in action in Bessarabia, attacking a Teutonic force of 1,500,000 along a 300-mile front.

Petrograd still claims considerable successes in the early stages of the campaign, and dispatches emphasize the excellent equipment, supplies and munitions that Russia laid up for this purpose during a period of comparative passivity.

Observers, speculating upon the meaning of the Bessarabian movement, hail it as one of the most ambitious strategic plans since the beginning of hostilities, and predict that it will prove a colossal attempt to break the backbone of the Germanic allies' whole line across the Balkans.

So long as Russia keeps up her present activity just north of the Roumanian border, the attitude of Roumania will continue to grow in importance. There have been many assertions in the entente capitals that Roumania was about to enter the war on the side of the entente allies, but nothing to support this has yet been heard from credible Roumanian sources.

The capture of a French trench south of the much-contested Hartmannsweiler Kopf, together with 200 prisoners, and the entering of a mine crater northwest of Hahndorf, are reported officially by Berlin. The German war office statement also asserts the repulse of British attacks northeast of Arras. A French communiqué fails to confirm the German assertions.

For the English cabinet Wednesday will be a red letter day, for on that day Premier Asquith will introduce compulsion, and the premier probably has never had a more difficult task than he will have in engineering this measure, and his speech presenting it to the house is expected to be one of the finest efforts of his career.

The Irish Nationalists may be counted upon to oppose Premier Asquith's bill but whether they will use filibustering tactics, in which they have had so much practice, as Mr. Dillon has threatened, is doubtful. They will be supported by some Laborites and an uncertain number of Liberals. Whether the Labor party, as a party, will take the same path, depends on the result of the labor unions' conferences that have been called for this week.

Constipation and Indigestion.

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MANY DRIVEN FROM HOME

Towns in Northern Ohio Under Water and Property Damaged.

Columbus, Jan. 3.—Considerable property damage was done by the floods throughout Ohio. Several hundred people were driven from their homes, but no loss of life has been reported.

The situation in several cities, particularly in the northern part of the state, was regarded as serious. Heavy rains, which fell almost continuously Sunday, and melting snow caused many rivers to rise rapidly.

More than 200 families were made homeless at Tiffin when the Sandusky river overflowed its banks. Mechanicsburg, a village near Tiffin, was reported to be five feet under water. Damage done in this vicinity was estimated at \$100,000.

The lowlands in and about Fremont, north of Tiffin, were inundated and many families in this section were forced to move to higher ground.

Water was three feet deep in the factory district at Lima, on the Ottawa river, but owing to colder weather the rain ceased and the water began to recede. Twenty families were removed from the flooded district by police and firemen. Lowlands about the city were flooded. Though rivers in the southern part of the state were rising, none of them had reached the danger mark. Many small creeks, however, were out of their banks.

Destructive Fire.

Riverside, N. J., Jan. 3.—The big five-story furniture department of the William Taubel hosiery mills was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$200,000. Nearly 400 are thrown out of employment. That the fire was of incendiary origin is the belief of the city officials.

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A lecturer would use hours to describe the sufferings that dyspepsia brings. Dyspeptics become listless, then morbid, are melancholy over little things, have whimsical ideas, perhaps "grouchy" is a better word, aside from the nervous physical suffering, and, with appetite gone, sleep fitful, dizzy spells and nausea frequent, life hardly seems worth living.

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WEEKLY WAR REVIEW

Russia the past week launched an offensive movement against the Austro-Hungarian forces in Galicia. The czar's army, which numbers 1,500,000, has been recently equipped with munitions from Japan, England and the United States. Reports from Vienna and Petrograd say the advantage lies with their respective forces, but neither capital describes decisive results. Recent telegrams from the war theater where this battle is raging say that the Austrians show better fighting quality now than in the earlier stages of the war.

The result of the battle is expected to have an important influence on the Balkan situation, particularly on the Roumanian policy. Apparently Russia has been preparing for these operations for some time past.

On Gallipoli peninsula the Turks are giving no rest to the French and British forces left behind when the Suez bay and Anzac positions were evacuated. The Turkish war office announces that severe damage has been done to the positions of the allies near Seddul Baar in the course of violent fighting.

There are signs of renewed activity in Macedonia. It is reported that German and Austrian forces are gathering at Monastir, in southwestern Serbia, near the Greek border. Premier Radaskavoff of Bulgaria is reported as having said that the Bulgarians would soon begin an advance into Greek territory to attack the French and British at Saloniki.

The week on the western front has been featured by heavy artillery engagements on the Vosges mountains, in northern France. This activity is believed in Paris to be a prelude to a mighty German offensive in that vicinity.

Turks are still assailing the British forces at Kut-el-Amara, in Mesopotamia, London reports that all attacks have been repulsed, with disastrous results to the Turks.

Movement against Egypt by a large army of Turks, officered by Germans, is said to be under way.

Submarine activity continues in the Mediterranean, as a result of which Lloyd's has trebled insurance rates on all cargoes going through the Suez canal. The latest vessel to be torpedoed was the British passenger steamer Persia, which was destroyed with the loss of 200 lives. Two Americans, Consul Robert McNeely, on his way to Aden, Arabia, and Charles Grant of Boston, were on board the ship.

Poultry Parasites.

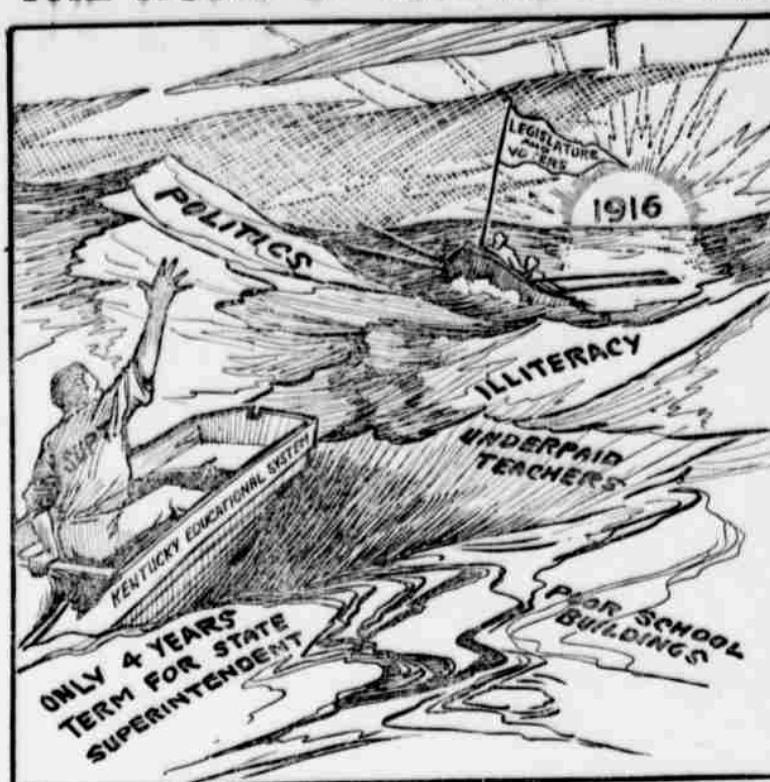
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W. E. HUSTON,
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THE HOPE OF THE NEW YEAR



WHAT OF THE NEW YEAR?

As clanging bells send their glad message of the birth of a Happy New Year out upon the cold crisp air, it is always well to take stock of one's self. The Kentucky farmer has many things for which he may be duly thankful as the Old Year dies. Bountiful crops and soaring farm land values make his life very much worth while. His automobile skimming over the many new hard roads built in 1915 make rural life easier and more pleasant than in the past. Phonographs and telephones in increasing numbers make the rural home a happier and a better place in which to live and to rear a family.

All of these good things are making the farmer, his wife and his children—ah! Has the farmer forgotten his children? The holidays will soon be over; then these children must go

back to the little rural school. This school is about the only thing with which the farmer and his family come in contact, that is not a part of the present century. It is the one thing for which neither he nor his family can give thanks this Happy New Year. Every farmer should realize as the New Year is ushered in with the sound of bells on the fresh night air, that soaring land values, bumper crops and snug bank accounts do not make a community, a great State or a Strong Nation. If a small percentage of the bountiful crops, the snug bank accounts and the soaring land values, were carefully invested in real schools for real children, then the farmer might feel safe for the future. All things are possible in a well educated community. What is your schoolhouse like as 1916 is on the threshold of Kentucky?

STEPHENSPOET.

Jerry Lennon, of Hardinsburg recently visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith.

Miss Ida Nottingham was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Shoop Friday.

Rev. J. E. Williams, of Iowa, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gardner have a new piano player.

24 Ladies' Coats, 36 Misses and Children's Coats, all colors and sizes, will go at half price in order to clean up the stock. Let us show them to you. Mrs. M. A. McCubbins.

Mrs. Carleton, of Owensboro, spent the week end here, the guest of Mrs. Eliza Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilbert, of Owensboro, are guests of relatives here this week.

Mrs. Bertha Sutton and children, of Henderson, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mrs. Eugene Conner visited in Sample Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. V. Clarkson visited relatives in Elizabethtown.

John R. Martin, one of the old settlers, died and was buried on Christmas day. Our sympathy is with the friends.

Ben Clarkson and sisters, Mrs. Hardaway and Mrs. Kemper went to Louisville last week, where they met for a trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. John Witt are the guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Arms and sons visited Henry Hall and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bewley and little son were guests of relatives here.

Miss Zeina Strother and mother, Mrs. Esther Strother have gone to Owensboro to spend the winter with Mrs. Strother's son, Dr. Strother.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jenkins are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Dowell.

Rev. E. P. Deacon and family spent Sunday at May's Grove, where he filled his regular appointment.

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Wants Paper Changed.

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